



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Smith et al.

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For: **TRACKING, CONTROL, AND  
LOGISTICS SYSTEM AND  
METHOD**

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT WITH INFORMATION DISCLOSURE**  
**STATEMENT IN ACCORD WITH 37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.97**

Commissioner of Patents  
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please add the following claims to the above application:

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51. A monitoring system operable for monitoring a plurality of targets on behalf of a plurality of users, each of said users being associated with one or more of said plurality of targets, comprising:

a computer network server operable for communicating with a plurality of client computers;  
a database operable for storing information relating to each of said plurality of targets;  
a plurality of wireless communication units, a respective of said plurality of wireless communication units associated with said plurality of targets, each of said plurality of wireless communication units including a position sensor to provide location information for each of said

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